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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

The references now cited are the following:

| DOCUMENT NUMBER | DATE | NAME |
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| 3,702,522 | 11/14/1972 | Adams |
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This application is a divisional application of U.S. Serial No. 10/166,018, filed June 10, 2002 and is relied upon for an earlier filing dated under 35 U.S.C. § 120. In accordance with Rule 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the cited references are not enclosed herewith since they were previously cited and submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office in the prior application.

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Applicant respectfully requests that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

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